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Media from across the country set up outside the Moakley Federal Courthouse for the beginning of juror selection in the trial of accused Boston Marathon bomber Dzhokhar Tsarnaev. / NICOLAUS CZARNECKI, METRO

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Jury selection begins in marathon bombing trial

Boston. The media descended on the alleged Boston Marathon bomber's jury selection.

Boston took the first small step on its journey to justice Monday when a federal judge lectured hundreds of potential jurors for the Boston Marathon bombing trial about their civic duty to weigh fairly the fate of the man accused of carrying out the deadly attack.

Dzhokhar Tsarnaev, the accused Boston Marathon bomber, arrived at the jury hall in Boston's Moakley Federal Courthouse around 9:10 a.m. for the first day of jury selection. Some 500 people filled out questionnaires after U.S. District Judge George O'Toole instructed them about the obligations of sitting on a high-profile jury.

O'Toole told potential jurors that the burden is on the government to prove the defendant's guilt, and that Tsarnaev is presumed innocent until proven guilty.

"Don't think of the service of being a juror as an annoying burden," O'Toole said, adding that many jurors who have wrapped up their duty have told him they found the experience "interesting" and "memorable."

Tsarnaev sat in the midst of his defense team. His curly hair was long and loose. He had grown a scruffy beard, and was dressed in a thick,



Courtroom sketch of Boston Marathon bombing suspect Dzhokhar Tsarnaev. / SKETCH BY JANE FLAVELL COLLINS



Police vehicles line the front of the courthouse. / NICOLAUS CZARNECKI, METRO

dark gray sweater and khaki pants. He sat with his hands folded, listening. He occasionally adjusted his collar, and in one instance, stood to face jurors as O'Toole introduced him.

The April 2013 attack killed three spectators, maimed or injured dozens of spectators and runners and left Boston traumatized for days as police locked down the entire city in their hunt for the bombers.

Tsarnaev, now 21, is facing 30 charges in connection with the attack, which prosecutors allege he planned and carried out with his brother Tamerlan, who was killed following a shootout with police. If convicted he could be executed.

O'Toole has summoned a total of 3,000 potential jurors



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Quoted

"We need your help and we need your honest performance of this important duty of citizenship."

O'Toole, speaking to jurors

to federal court; as many as 1,200 are expected to fill out questionnaires this week. It may take up to three weeks before a jury is seated, O'Toole said, with opening statements slated for later this month.

Outside the courthouse, a sea of international media waited with their lenses and microphones aimed at the courthouse doors, waiting for a glimpse of potential jurors and key players of the case. Homeland Security officers patrolled the perimeter, led by bomb-sniffing K-9s. Armed officers stood inside the entrance. In Boston Harbor, a police boat patrolled.



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Road rage. Cop charged with attacking Uber driver, stealing cab

A Boston police officer has been placed on administrative leave after being charged with assaulting an Uber driver during a racist tirade this weekend.

Authorities allege Michael Doherty, 40, of South Boston, assaulted the driver and then drove off in the victim's 2005 Toyota Prius after the driver fled the vehicle early Sunday.

According to police, the driver alleges Doherty, a 16-

year veteran with the force, began yelling at him and accused him of trying to drop Doherty off at the wrong location. Doherty then physically assaulted the driver when he stopped his car near E. 2nd and M streets.

The driver escaped from his car while Doherty got into the front seat and drove off.

The Uber driver flagged down a passing motorist, and they pursued Doherty to E.

1st Street and Farragut Road where he stopped. Doherty fled the scene on foot before police arrived. He was later identified, located and arrested.

Doherty hurled racial slurs at the driver, as well as the passing motorist who helped the Uber driver, during the incident, according to a police report obtained by Metro.

Doherty was arraigned in South Boston municipal

court Monday on two counts each of assault and battery and violating his victims' civil rights and a single count each of assault and use of a motor vehicle without authority.

He is on administrative leave. The judge ordered Doherty to stay away from the victim, not use Uber and submit to alcohol and drug treatment as well as any other treatment "deemed necessary." **DANNY McDONALD**



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Rolling the dice. Boston sues Gaming Commission over lack of casino vote

Wynn Resorts' plan to build a \$1.6 billion casino resort in Everett faces a new hurdle after the city of Boston said Monday it has filed suit against the Massachusetts Gaming Commission for denying Bostonians their legal right to vote on the project.

The city's case hinges on the fact that the only access to the casino, which lies just outside Boston city limits, is through the city's Charlestown neighborhood.

The announcement comes the same day Wynn revealed it had completed the \$35 million purchase of the former Monsanto chemical plant on which the casino resort will be built.

In its complaint, the city argues Wynn failed to obtain access through Everett within 60 days of the award of the license — as required by law — leaving the sole access to the site through Boston.

The Gaming Commission feared Boston voters would

Quoted

"Our priority is to protect the people of Boston and ensure the safety of our neighborhoods."

Mayor Walsh



Steve Wynn

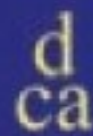
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reject the casino plan over public safety and traffic concerns, and it improperly barred Bostonians from "exercising their statutory right to vote," the complaint said.

The complaint also alleges that one beneficiary of the casino plan would be a convicted felon who held an interest in FBT Everett Realty LLC, the firm that owned the casino site.

Boston's attorneys say state law bars the issuance of a casino license if a convicted felon has a financial interest in the premises on which the casino will be located.

Representatives of Wynn declined to comment on the suit. The Gaming Commission couldn't be reached for comment. **DANNY McDONALD**



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Jennifer Aniston humoring Brad Pitt questions for Awards Season

How do we know Jennifer Aniston is taking Awards Season seriously? She's entertaining questions about ex-husband Brad Pitt. Aniston is currently on the campaign trail for her Golden Globe-nominated performance in the indie "Cake," so she sat down with "CBS Sunday Morning" reporter Lee Cowan, who used the age-old trick of asking about how annoying it is when people ask about something as a ploy to ask about that thing without looking like you're actually asking about it.

"The fact that it still follows you around — I mean, I'm

divorced. It's got to be painful. I mean, I don't like when people bring it up. But people still do, right?" Cowan asked. And by "people," he means himself, who just brought it up. But Aniston is a pro: "I don't find it painful, though. I think it's a narrative that follows you because it's an interesting headline. It's more of a media-driven topic," Aniston responded. Cowan followed that up with, "You guys still talk? You friends?"

Kudos to Aniston for not rolling her eyes or just punching him before replying.



ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis not married

New parents Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis got rumor mongers worked up into a frenzy on New Year's Eve with a photo message on Kutcher's Facebook page with warm wishes from "the Kutchers,"

sparking speculation that they'd already secretly tied the knot. You didn't miss anything. Sources tell Radar Online that they "have not gotten married yet" and the big day won't be happening until the summer.

David Beckham not as well-dressed as his 12-year-old son

This must be pretty embarrassing. David Beckham landed on GQ's "50 best dressed men in Britain 2015" list, as expected — but he didn't rank nearly as high as 12-year-old son Romeo

Beckham. David slipped in at No. 46, just behind Tom Hardy, and I'll wait a minute while your brain has fun with that sentence. But Romeo was ranked 25th. Not too shabby for a tween, but then having a couple of Burberry campaigns under your wing doesn't hurt. The top spot went to "Theory of Everything" star Eddie Redmayne, with Benedict Cumberbatch in second place, Jamie Dornan third and Alex Turner fifth.



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Where to go in 2015

Here are five unexpected U.S. destinations that should be on your travel radar this year.



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The Florida Panhandle

Why go: The soft quartz beaches of the Florida Panhandle are among the best in the United States, with a virtually unimpeded 100-mile stretch of beach.

Insider tip: Every Panhandle beach town has its own personality. Pensacola Beach is low-key and family-friendly. Destin has many condos and a busy resort. Grayton Beach is upscale and artsy. Panama City Beach is commercial but has gorgeous natural areas.

Cleveland, Ohio

Why go: With culinary kings like Michael Symon and Jonathan Sawyer, an orchestra rated one of the top five in the nation and a major new wing at The Cleveland Museum of Art, the second-largest city in Ohio has shed its industrial past.

Insider tip: Tour one of the 10 farms in Cuyahoga Valley National Park that are part of the Countryside Initiative, a collection of farms committed to sustainable agriculture.



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The Hudson Valley and the Catskills, New York

Why go: Quaint towns like Hudson, Rhinebeck and Tarrytown have officially metamorphosed into hip enclaves, with charming boutique stores, a blooming arts scene and farm-to-table restaurants that give the big city a run for its money thanks to the Culinary Institute

of America.

Insider tip: The Walkway Over the Hudson is the world's longest pedestrian bridge, connecting Highland and Poughkeepsie while offering beautiful views of the Hudson River.

Bourbon Country and Louisville, Kentucky

Why go: In the rolling hills outside Louisville, bourbon distilleries give tours through historic warehouses and production facilities, topped with tastings of the state's signature drink. In Louisville, the foodie scene thrives.

Insider tip: Go to KyBourbonTrail.com for great tips on planning your visit to nine of the largest distilleries.

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Skiing

Jackson Hole, Wyoming

The country's top ski resort just got a lot easier to reach, with new direct flights from 13 cities on Delta and United during peak winter season. The birthplace of extreme skiing has a cool Western vibe and funky arts and apres-ski scenes. Jackson's proximity to Yellowstone and Grand Teton national parks presents some of the best off-slope activities around.

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Horoscope

♎ Capricorn | Dec. 22-Jan. 20.

Tell people where you stand. Unless you voice your opinions, you will be told what to do and when to do it. It's up to you to maintain control of your life.

♒ Aquarius | Jan. 21-Feb. 18.

Don't let fear prevent you from heading in a new direction. If you are realistic and driven, you will accomplish some amazing things. Someone with experience will offer sound advice.

♓ Pisces | Feb. 19-March 20.

Your partner, family and friends value your time. Be vocal about your feelings for the people you love. A note or phone call will be a kind and reassuring gesture.

♈ Aries | March 21-April 20.

If you share important information, you will discover that a confidante has ulterior motives. Don't disclose details that could be used against you. Listen and observe.

♉ Taurus | April 21-May 21.

Communicate with others and educate yourself. Upgrade your skills and apply for a better position. Keep abreast of current trends and take advantage of a changing job market.

♊ Gemini | May 22-June 20.

A heated discussion will cause a rift with someone you are close to. Keep your emotions under control in order to avoid alienation. Time is on your side, but diplomacy is required.

♋ Cancer | June 21-July 22.

Set goals and talk to people who you think can contribute to them, but get promises in writing. Someone will try to take advantage of you if you aren't precise.

♌ Leo | July 23-Aug. 22.

Your personal life will benefit if you spend more time with the people who make you feel good. Consider a short trip or excursion. Change your environment if you are seeking some enlightenment.

♍ Virgo | Aug. 23-Sept. 22.

Someone in your circle will undermine you if you are too generous. If you believe everything you hear, you will make an impractical move.

♎ Libra | Sept. 23-Oct. 22.

Strive to reach your goals. An upsetting confrontation will distract you from making an important decision that will affect your future.

♏ Scorpio | Oct. 23-Nov. 21.

Trust your judgment. What works for a friend or relative may not be the right thing for you. Use the information you gather, but modify your plans.

♐ Sagittarius | Nov. 22-Dec. 21.

Exaggeration will backfire. You are better off fairly presenting your case and refraining from making promises that you know you cannot honor. Better to be honest. **EUGENIA LAST**

Letters to the editor

Make bicycle owners register

I am appalled at how many of our citizen cyclists think that driving their vehicles on sidewalks is fine. We have reached the point where these bicycles must be registered in the interest of public safety. They should also be required to have proof of financial responsibility for any damage they may cause. The problem of impolite, dangerous cyclists is unlikely to improve since their numbers are likely to greatly increase

in the future.

LEWIS WALSH, VIA EMAIL

Cops will have to face mayor eventually

New York City police officers had every right to turn their backs on Mayor Bill de Blasio. But they are going have to meet face-to-face with him in order to solve this very serious communication problem like civilized people can and must do. **RICHARD ZIEGENFUSS, VIA EMAIL**

Republican contradiction

This is a sincere question, and I'd like a sincere answer: Every single day, Republicans slam Big Government, "communism," workers' unions and the usual suspects. But then, every single day, Republicans tell me the perfect opposite as well: that we must blindly trust Big Government, from Bush's Office Of Homeland Security and the NSA/CIA, to our "legal system" of judges and prosecutors and the department of "corrections," and our military and police. But

it's common knowledge that OHS, the military and police are all government-run monopolies, right? The GOP says unions make for bad workers, but the police are all union, so which is it? They say a lack of competition and free market principles make for a disaster, but then they hail the lack of competition and free market principles in law enforcement.

KALAN SILVER, VIA EMAIL

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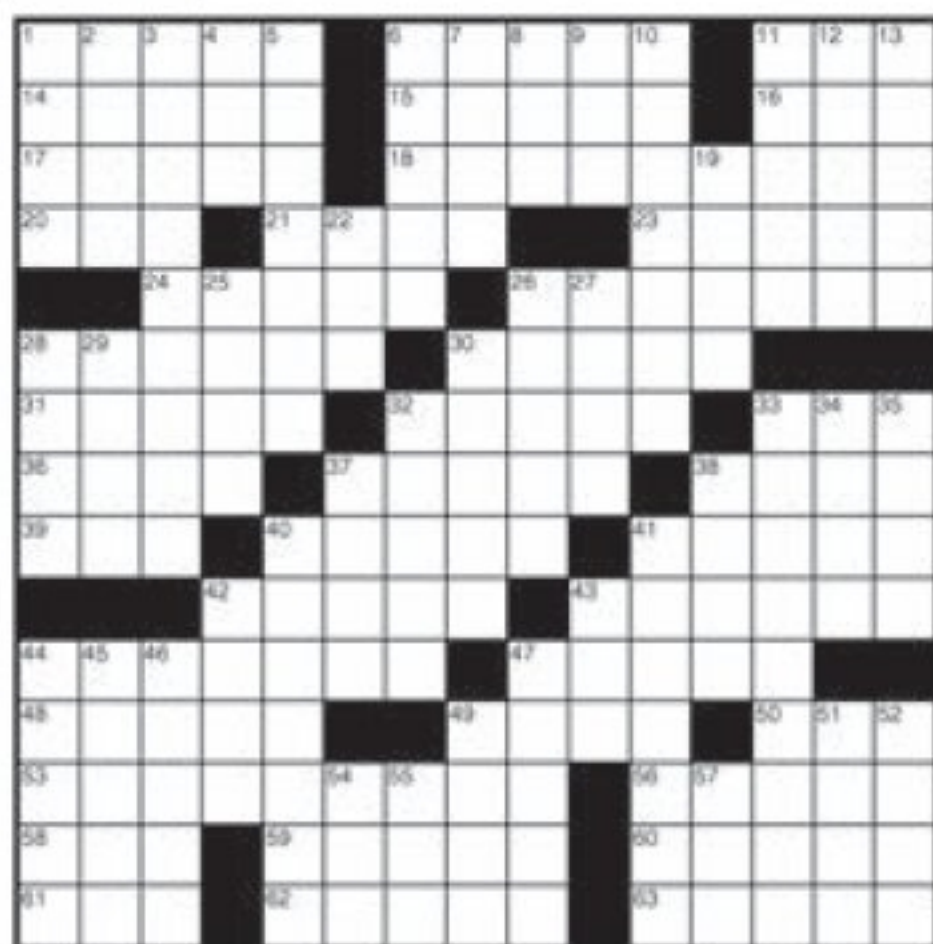
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Crossword

**Across**

- 1 Resided
- 6 Huge blossom
- 11 Toshiba rival
- 14 Enthusiasm
- 15 Shaman's findings
- 16 Fire residue
- 17 Clamor
- 18 It came from outer space
- 20 Circulars
- 21 Slugger's stats
- 23 Bays
- 24 Poisonous shrub
- 26 Base coats
- 28 Giant white radish
- 30 Wingless insects
- 31 Healing succulents
- 32 Whale's diet
- 33 A mind of — own
- 36 French wines
- 37 "Fargo" filmmaker brothers
- 38 Aloud
- 39 "Be my guest!"
- 40 Corsair's quest

Down

- 41 Draw forth
- 42 Tom or Colin
- 43 Smoothed a board
- 44 Will not
- 47 Incarcerates
- 48 Greek forum
- 49 — lang syne
- 50 Drink with scones
- 53 Glittering
- 56 Temple images
- 58 Hebrew letter
- 59 Packaging cord
- 60 Poker pair
- 61 "Addams Family" cousin
- 62 Fizzy drinks
- 63 Wet behind the ears



- 6 Kind of relief
- 7 "Rag Mop" brothers
- 8 Court divider
- 9 Compass pt.
- 10 Not gregarious
- 11 Easily conned
- 12 Organic compound
- 13 Karpov's game
- 19 CD- —
- 22 Prohibition
- 25 Luau strings
- 26 Roman naturalist
- 27 Kin, briefly
- 28 Mr. Crockett
- 29 Never tell — —
- 30 Worries
- 32 Oddballs
- 33 Fe-bearing rock
- 34 Capture
- 35 Husky's burden
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- 38 Face sketcher's start
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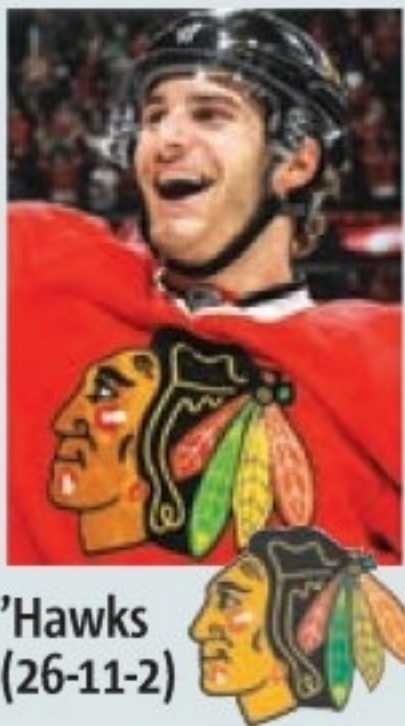
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- 44 Browning's — Ben Ezra
- 45 Leggy bird
- 46 Palm off
- 47 Germanic peoples
- 49 Governess in Siam
- 51 Gen. Robert — —
- 52 Part of PGA
- 54 — Jima
- 55 Bail out
- 57 Movie VIP

NHL power rankings | by Rich Slate

No. 1



'Hawks
(26-11-2)

Do you realize how remarkably consistent the Blackhawks have been, having won Stanley Cups in 2010 and 2013? I don't think it's crazy to say that they're not only the model franchise in the NHL but possibly all of American sports. Guys get hurt but then others are plugged in and step up immediately, or injured stars like Patrick Sharp return with no rust and score overtime goals (see: Sunday's OT win over Dallas).

No. 2

Ducks
(26-9-6)



The Ducks actually have the most points (58) in the league but their goal-differential (plus-5) pales in comparison to the Blackhawks' mark of an NHL-best plus-39.

No. 3

Predators
(25-9-4)



Basically halfway through the 2014-15 regular season, the Predators are here to stay. Nashville is 6-2-2 in its last 10, owns the best home record in the NHL, and has a soft schedule coming up.

No. 4

Habs
(26-11-2)



Montreal is riding an NHL-best six game win streak and goaltender Carey Price (22-9-1, .929 save percentage, 2.14 goals against average) is a Vezina Trophy front-runner.

No. 5

Lightning
(25-12-4)



When Steven Stamkos (21 goals, 18 assists) is scoring highlight-reel goals like the one he had in Ottawa Sunday, the Lightning can beat anyone in the East.

No. 6

Penguins
(24-10-5)



As they typically do, the Penguins made a noteworthy mid-season trade by obtaining left wing David Perron (six goals, 14 assists) from Edmonton. The Pens can continue to bury the Bruins on Wednesday.

No. 7

Islanders
(26-12-1)



Don't laugh. Captain John Tavares (17 goals, 19 assists) is on the short list for best pro athlete in New York these days. The Isles are 7-2-1 in their last 10.

No. 8

Blues
(23-13-3)



The subject of trade rumors, center T.J. Oshie was named the first star of the week after putting up seven points, including his second career hat trick, in just four games.

No. 9

Red Wings
(20-10-9)



The Red Wings are a solid club, but it's a stretch to put them in the same grouping as the Canadiens, Lightning and Penguins. A game in Edmonton on Tuesday should cure whatever ails them.

No. 10

Canucks
(22-12-3)



This is the start of the third tier of teams that'll be in the playoffs this spring, but won't likely be Cup contenders. The Canucks and the Islanders tangle Tuesday in Vancouver.

No. 11

Capitals
(20-11-7)



The Winter Classic received its lowest TV rating, but that shouldn't take away from what was a great hockey game as Washington beat Chicago, 3-2, on a last-second goal by Troy Brouwer.

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A day earlier, in the Cardinals-Panthers game, Cards punter Drew Butler had the worst game of his career. Out of nine punts, five went for 33 yards or less, including one for



Patriots punter Ryan Allen and kicker Stephen Gostkowski are two of the best in the game. / GETTY IMAGES

20 yards. The Panthers muffed a return, too, eventually leading to a Cardinals TD.

And then we have the Ravens, who weren't exactly clean against the Steelers. They had a punt blocked late in the game that turned into a Steelers safety. They also lined up with too many men as the Steelers attempted a field goal.

The Patriots have consistently played great on special

teams all season. They have four field goal blocks this season, two of which were returned for touchdowns. They also blocked a punt during the year, one that put them in the end zone one play later. Patriots punter Ryan Allen and Ravens punter Sam Koch are two of the best in the game, and the same goes for placekickers Stephen Gostkowski and Justin Tucker. **JAMES TOSCANO**

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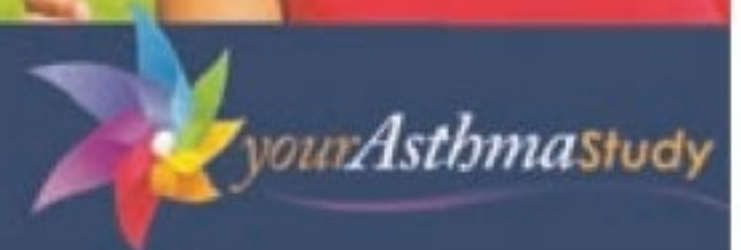
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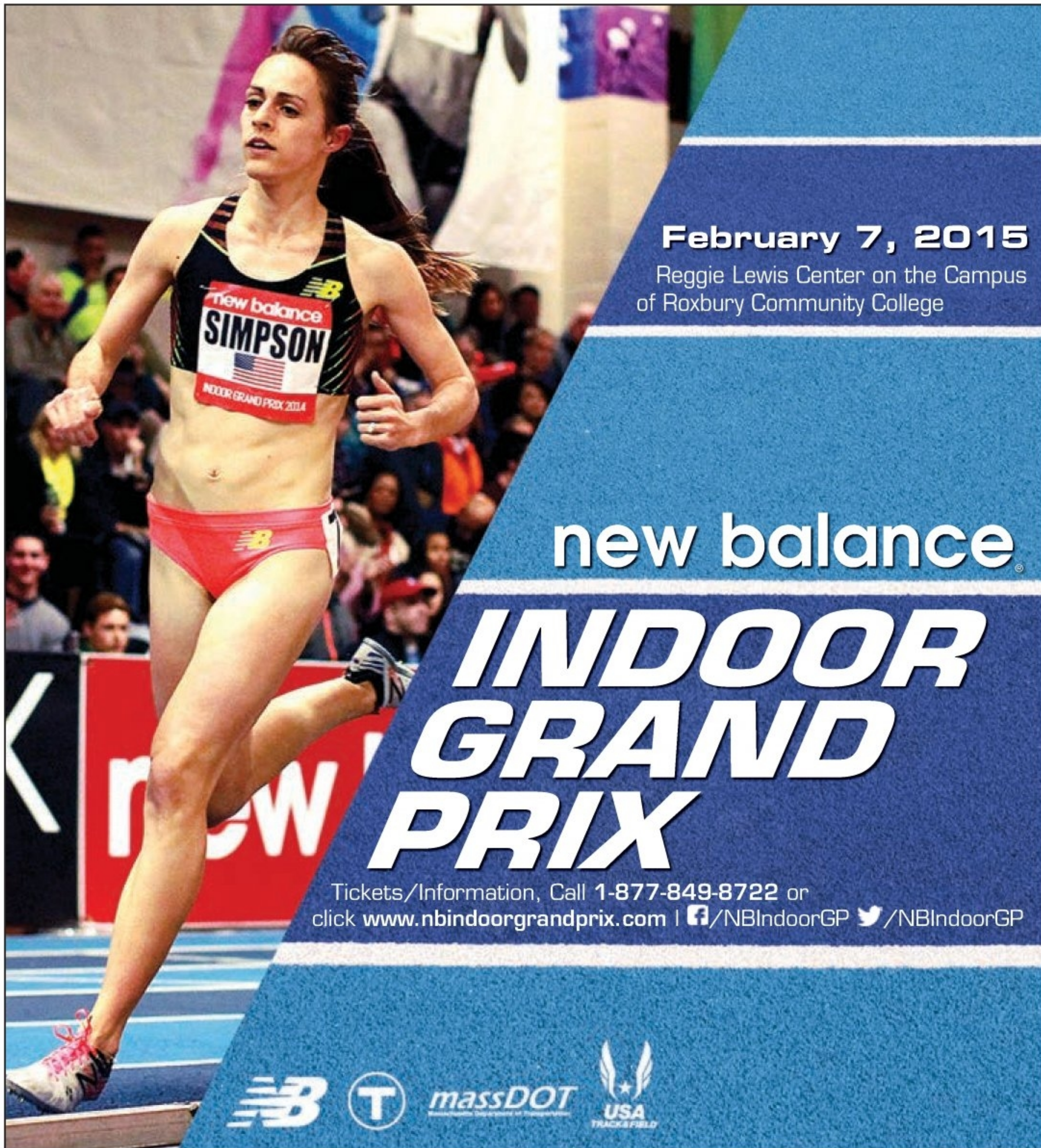
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